Environmental Document Review Tool



Project Name:						
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Project PIN: Project Number:				Region:		
City: County:						
Document Type: EA EIS	Document Stage:	☐ Draft ☐	Final	Supplemental		
Major Required Content						
Content		Included	N/A	Comments		
Cover Sheet						
Name of project to include route and termini						
City, county, and state						
Document Type (e.g. Draft Environmental Impact Statement)						
Legal Citations						
23 USC 327 assignment language						
327 certification statement (decision do	cuments only)					
Federal regulation 42 USC 4332(2)(c)						
49 USC 303 for Section 4(f)						
Section 1319 Combined FEIS/ROD statement						
Title of lead agency and any cooperating agencies						
Due date, name, and address for submitting comments						
Signature block and contacts						
Abstract (only required for EIS)						
ROD (for Final EIS)						
Decision						
Alternatives considered						
Summarize basis of any Section 4(f) decisions						
Measures to minimize adverse impacts			\boxtimes			
Monitoring or enforcement program						
Substantive comments and responses on the FEIS						
Executive Summary (optional for EA, but required for EIS)						
Brief project description						
Description of major actions proposed by other governmental agencies in same geographic area						
Summary of major conclusions for all reasons considered and major environmental impacts recommended)	able alternatives (table					
Any areas of controversy						
Any unresolved issues with other agencies						
List of other federal actions likely to be required for the project						
Statute of Limitations statement						
Table of Contents: include list of tables, figures and appendices						
List of Acronyms						



Content	Included	N/A	Comments
Proposed Project Location			
Introduction: Brief introduction including appropriate figures			
Existing Facility Description (if necessary)			
Project Description			
Logical termini, independent utility, needs assessment study area			
Includes location, length, type of improvements, ROW / Easements needed			
Purpose and Need			
Purpose statements			
Need statements			
Planning and Programming Status			
Consistent with current Plan and Program (required for Final Environmental Document)			
Alternatives			
Discussion of build alternative(s)			
No-build alternative			
Identification of preferred alternative (required for Final Environmental Document)			
Locally preferred alternative, if one has been identified			
Comments and Coordination (Public Involvement and Agency Coordination)			
Section 6002 coordination plan (if applicable)			
Scoping process including notices and meetings			
Public participation, including meetings, hearings, and/or workshops			
Consultation and coordination with public agencies			
Responses to substantive comments received on draft environmental document and at public hearings			
Permits and Approvals Needed (only required for EIS)			
Commitments (table recommended)			
List of Preparers			
Distribution List			
References Cited			
Comments:			



Affected Environment / Impacts / Avoidance, Minimization and Mitigation Measures Verify investigation outcomes and project effects are appropriate for each topic. Verify applicable avoidance, minimization, and mitigation measures for each topic. Content Included N/A Comments Right of way/Displacements **Land Use** Consistency with current TIP, RTP, or MTP **Farmlands** Community Impacts (Quality of life, recreation, community facilities, community cohesion, public health and safety, ROW/Displacements) **Environmental Justice Utilities/Emergency Services** Traffic and Transportation/Pedestrian and Bicycle Facilities Visual/Aesthetics **Economics Historic Resources Archeological Resources and Paleontological Resources Water Quality**

Ecosystems (Wetland, Wildlife, T&E Species, Natural Communities)		
Relationship between local short-term uses of the human environment and the maintenance and enhancement of long- term productivity (EISs only)		
Any irreversible and irretrievable commitments of resources which would be involved in the proposed action (EISs only)		
Construction Impacts		
Mitigation Summary (EIS Only)		
Indirect Impacts		
Cumulative Impacts		
Section 4(f) / 6(f) – if applicable		
FHWA constructive use determination		
Comments:		

Floodplain

Hazardous Materials

Joint Development (if applicable)

FHWA air quality conformity determination (place in appendix)



Supporting Documentation							
The appendices and/or file of record must contain the following items/documents							
Content	Included	N/A	Comments				
Exhibits							
Technical Reports: all technical reports have been completed, approved, and are present in the project file with 23 USC 327 assignment language							
Cultural documentation							
Wildlife documentation							
Agency coordination/consultation documentation in appendices and/or file							
Section 4(f) Evaluation, Programmatic Section 4(f) Evaluation, Section 4(f) De Minimis Determination, or Section 6(f) Evaluation							
Checklist Approval							
Completed By (Name and Title):	Date:						